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In re Application of: ANDO, HISASHIGE
Application No. 09/746,068
Filed: December 26, 2000
For: INFORMATION-PROCESSING DEVICE WITH
TRANSACTION PROCESSOR FOR EXECUTING
SUBSET OF INSTRUCTION SET WHERE IF
TRANSACTION PROCESSOR CANNOT
EFFICIENTLY EXECUTE THE INSTRUCTION IT IS
SENT TO GENERAL- PURPOSE PROCESSOR VIA
INTERRUPT

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition filed on October 5, 2007, under 37 CFR 1.181(a) to invoke Supervisory Authority with respect to the Office action mailed on July 5, 2007, and require the Examiner to withdraw the restriction requirement, mailed on July 5, 2007.

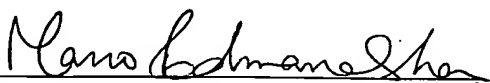
In reviewing the prosecution history, it is noted that examiner Pan had withdrawn the restriction requirement in the communication attached with the Notice of Allowance mailed on December 21, 2007, and considered all the claims on the merits in the Notice of Allowance mailed on December 21, 2007.

Accordingly, the Petition is **DISMISSED as MOOT.**

Any request for reconsideration must be filed within two months of the mailing date of this decision.

A delay to render a decision on this petition is hereby regretted.

Any inquiry concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned whose telephone number is (571) 272-4210.


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